



# PATH

## Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness

### 2001 State Profile

## GEORGIA

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**FY 2002 Federal PATH Allocation:** \$698,000

**FY 2002 State Match:** \$512,380

**FY 2001 Federal PATH Allocation:** \$632,000

**FY 2001 State Match:** \$210,667

**PATH-funded Provider Organizations:** 5

- 14 Staff (13 fulltime equivalent positions )

## Statewide Program Data\*

**Persons Enrolled: N= 514**

- 60% Male
- 40% Female

**Race/Ethnicity:**

- 84% Black or African American
- 13% White
- 2% Hispanic or Latino
- 1% Other

**Age:**

- 0% Under age 18
- 23% Age 18 to 34
- 60% Age 35 to 49
- 16% Age 50 to 64
- 2% Age 65 and older

**Housing Status at First Contact:**

- 76% Outdoors/shelters
- 16% Private/subsidized housing
- 4% Residential treatment programs
- 1% Institutions
- 1% Jails
- 2% Other

**Length of Time Homeless at First Contact:**

- 37% 30 days or less
- 24% 31-90 days
- 24% 91 days to one year
- 15% More than one year

**Principal Diagnosis:**

- 35% Schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders
- 56% Affective disorders such as depression
- 5% Personality disorders
- 4% Other serious mental illnesses

**Dual Diagnosis:**

- 60% Co-occurring substance use and mental health disorders

\* Based on FY 2001 data provided by the U.S. States and Territories per annual Federal requirement.

*The PATH program is administered by the Center for Mental Health Services within the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services*

## PATH Provider Profile for Georgia

Organization	Federal PATH Funds	Persons Enrolled	Contact Person
Central Fulton Community Mental Health Center at Grady Health System 80 Butler Street, SE Atlanta, GA 30335	\$59,000	35	Keith Wood <b>Phone:</b> (404) 616-4790 <b>Fax:</b> (404) 616-3241 <b>Email:</b> kwood01@emory.edu
Community Friendship Inc 85 Renaissance Parkway, N.E. Atlanta, GA 30308	\$320,450	167	Jean Toole <b>Phone:</b> (404) 875-0381 <b>Fax:</b> (404) 875-8248 <b>Email:</b> jtoole@comfriend.com
Fulton County Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation, and Substance Abuse 806 Kirkwood Avenue Atlanta, GA 30316	\$48,800	18	Diane Richardson <b>Phone:</b> (404) 730-6965 <b>Fax:</b> (404) 730-6966 <b>Email:</b>
Jewish Family & Career Services 4549 Chamblee- Dunwoody Road Atlanta, GA 30338-6210	\$25,000	60	Sheila Chaplin <b>Phone:</b> (770) 677-9457 <b>Fax:</b> (770) 677-9400 <b>Email:</b> grants@jfcs-atlanta.org
St. Joseph's Mercy Care Services 60 Eleventh Street, N.E. Atlanta, GA 30309-3970	\$45,750	234	Robert Mason <b>Phone:</b> (404) 249-8141 <b>Fax:</b> (404) 248-8940 <b>Email:</b> rmason@sjha.org

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